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**REPLY/AMENDMENT
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		Attorney Docket No.	826.1625
		Application Number	09/667,513
		Filing Date	September 22, 2000
		First Named Inventor	Masaya KIMURA et al.
		Group Art Unit	2662
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$ 0.00	Examiner Name	Christopher Swickhamer

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	16	- 16 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	\$ 0.00

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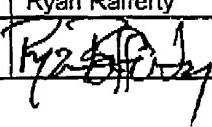
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